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## SALE OF THE GOLD REEFS

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The above named and numbered  
gold bearing reefs are in the immedi-  
ate vicinity of the well known bullion  
producing Mikado mine, to the ores  
and geological formation of which it  
bears a remarkable resemblance in  
other essential points than the very  
important one of values in gold. The  
Gold Reefs are the discovery of an In-  
dian and were only recently surveyed  
and reported in the department of  
Crown lands as D484 to D489. During  
September and October last the atten-  
tion of Captain Walpole Roland, civil  
and mining engineer, was directed to  
these reefs by the late owners, result-  
ing after repeated visits and careful  
tests by Captain Roland in his recom-  
mending the proposition as a safe and  
legitimate investment to Messrs. Burns  
and Gibbs of Michigan, who lost no  
time apparently in coming over and  
verifying by ocular and other convinc-  
ing demonstrations the soundness and  
perfect accuracy of Mr. Roland's state-  
ments. Messrs. Gibbs and Burns ar-  
rived in town early this month and in  
company with Captain Roland pro-  
ceeded to the scene of their late and  
future mining and milling operations.  
Personal examinations and compari-  
son of plans and field notes being made  
on the ground, and found satisfactory,  
it was then proposed to extract a few  
tons of average ore from the main reef  
and treat the same at the nearest gold  
mill or reduction works, viz: that of  
Crown Point, some three miles distant.  
Messrs. Gibbs and Burns meantime  
supervising the operations of mining,  
loading in bags, transporting to the  
mill, weighing every ounce of ore, seeing  
it crushed in a battery of five  
stamps, and put over the plates, and  
watching with interest until the amal-  
gam was returned by Mr. Johns, tech-  
nical chemist and amalgamator of the  
Mikado mine. The result was, consid-  
ering the difficulties and disadvan-  
tages attending a long distanced mill  
plant, exceedingly good indeed—be-  
tween \$15 and \$16 in gold per ton being  
saved in the operation, and our repre-  
sentative who was privileged to watch  
the operations and had handled the  
golden bullion, is of the opinion that  
the famous Mikado will in the near  
future be a profitable mine.

will be delivered, which will be illus-  
trated by samples of the district's re-  
sources in grain, minerals, etc. Pam-  
phlets and other literature will be dis-  
tributed.

The second contingent, in charge of  
Col. S. W. Ray, will leave here on  
March 10, and will join the first party  
at Toronto and the provincial  
and Dominion governments will be  
waited upon and asked for legislation  
for New Ontario.

## THE ELIZABETH MINE.

Mr. Alan Sullivan, manager of the  
Anglo-Canadian Gold Estates, who are  
operating the Elizabeth mine, is in  
town. Speaking to the Miner, Mr.  
Sullivan said the development of the  
Elizabeth was very satisfactory, and  
every day's work is adding materially  
to the value of the property. They  
have about 6,000 tons of quartz carry-  
ing good values blocked out, and with-  
in a comparatively short time will  
have enough in sight to keep a 20  
stamp mill going for a couple of years.  
Mr. Sullivan returns tonight to Port  
Arthur where he will meet Mrs. Sulli-  
van and proceed to Toronto on a visit.

## DEFEAT OF THE THISTLES.

The defeat of the Thistles Saturday  
night at the hands of the intermediate  
Vics was unlooked for, though lack of  
practice and possibly over-confidence  
have produced similar results on other  
occasions. The Vic, too, must share  
some of the blame; for our boys are  
familiar with hockey in its most scien-  
tific manner, and when their combina-  
tion is broken by dull ice it will easily  
be seen that they would have to ac-  
commodate themselves to new tactics.  
To this we can in all fairness ascribe  
their defeat. The absence of McFinn-  
ie may also to some extent have  
weakened the team.

The visitors played a splendid team  
and they deserve all credit for being  
the first intermediate team to defeat  
the champions this year. The first  
goal was scored by Rat Portage, the  
second by the Vics and the third by  
Rat Portage. After half time the Vics  
scored again in 10 minutes, and at the  
end of the allotted time no more were  
scored by either side, making the  
score 2-2. It was decided to play off  
the tie in 25 minutes the Victorias  
scored again, thus winning the match.  
The visitors were afterwards enter-  
tained to luncheon at Pearson's res-  
taurant.

## MINING NOTES.

his wife on Saturday night, by batter-  
ing her on the head and face with a  
club.

Sullivan is about 35 years of age, and  
his wife was about 30. They lived  
unhappily. Mrs. Sullivan told her  
neighbors last week that her husband  
had gone to Dominion City for flour,  
and told her that she must either  
draw or kill herself before his return,  
and that if he found her alive he  
would kill her.

## F. C. PENGILLY DEAD.

His many friends in this district will  
regret to hear of the death of F. W. C.  
Pengilly, formerly manager of the  
Mikado, at his home in St. Day, Corn-  
wall, Eng. Mr. Pengilly, it will be re-  
membered, had a severe attack of  
pneumonia while here. It appears  
that he never fully recovered and  
after a year in Spain returned to  
Cornwall when after being bedridden  
for some months he passed away on  
the first of February.

Mr. Pengilly comes of one of the  
oldest Cornish families the members  
of which for generations have been  
mining men. He was born in Chace-  
water, Cornwall, in 1831 and after an  
adventurous career in many parts of  
the world was attracted to South  
Africa where he erected the first suc-  
cessful direct cyaniding plant at Klom-  
fontein. He was a member of the Amer-  
ican and Canadian Institutes of Mining  
Engineers and also of the Institute of  
Mining and Metallurgy of Great Britain.  
He was a clever, resourceful,  
practical man, and his untimely demise  
will be felt as a distinct loss to the  
sciences of mining and metallurgy.

## TOWN COUNCIL MEETING.

The regular meeting of the town  
council was held last night. All the  
members were present except Cosm.  
Chadwick and McArthur.

A number of communications were  
received and read.

In reference to Mr. Bird's communi-  
cation to Holston, the following res-  
olution was passed: That in the event  
of Mr. Holston closing the roadway  
through the Nash location the police  
be and are hereby instructed to re-  
open and keep open the same as far  
as practicable.

The report of the finance committee  
recommending payment of accounts, was  
received and adopted. It will include \$120.00  
to the amount of \$120.00 was adopted.  
The action of the acting mayor and

## LOWER NEEDAWA MINE.

A Successful Mill Run and  
Sale of Property to  
Americans.

Mr. Chas. Brent, returned Saturday  
from the Glass Reef where he has been  
making a mill run of 25 tons of quartz  
from the Lower Needawa mine for  
Mr. H. D. Abston and a syndicate of  
American gentlemen. The results  
were highly satisfactory and we under-  
stand the negotiation for the sale of  
the property have been concluded.

The Lower Needawa was discovered  
by Al. Mosher, and sold by him to a  
group of New York gentlemen, the head-  
ing of whom were Mr. Harrison, Mr. J.  
Davidson, D. K. Hamilton and Thos.  
McGaffey, who paid \$100,000 for it,  
and developed it to a considerable ex-  
tent, spending as much money in im-  
provements. From the first the prop-  
osition proved to be a good one, getting  
an average of over \$2 to the ton. Owing  
however to the difficulty of raising  
sufficient money for its proper devel-  
opment the work was closed down two  
years ago, and as all the interested  
parties were not buying about them and  
also business to attend to, they had  
the property has remained undevel-  
oped. The further development of the  
D. Abston of Wabigoon, has been an  
interesting American of property who  
has decided to push development and  
make a mine of the Little Needawa,  
which will now be called the Royal  
Sovereign.

Before closing the door for the pre-  
closure of this property the new owner  
decided upon making a mill run, and  
25 tons, partly from the bottom of the  
shaft and partly from the dump were  
put through the Glass Reef mill with  
such satisfactory results that the buy-  
ers were completely won. We think that  
future work will start out the prop-  
erties of the first hundred feet, in which  
case the Royal Sovereign will prove  
one of the best mines of Western Can-  
ada.

A. J. Southey, formerly ser-  
geant of the 7th Regiment, is a resident  
aged 34 and unmarried, comes to the  
side there yesterday.

An officer of Great Britain, J. D. L.  
Hamilton, is reported short in his  
recommending payment of accounts, it will include \$120.00  
to the amount of \$120.00 was adopted.  
The action of the acting mayor and



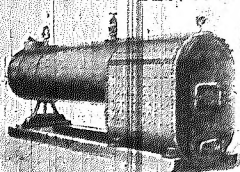
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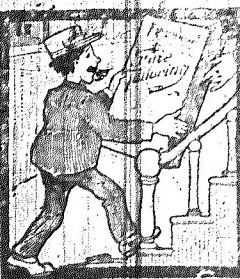


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### Judicial Notice

of the Creditors of the Great Granite Cold Mining and Development Company of Ontario, Limited.

PURSUANT TO THE WINDING-UP Order made in the High Court of Justice and dated the 14th day of November, 1901, in the matter of the Winding-Up Act, being Chapter 129 of the Revised Statutes of Canada and the amending Acts, and in the matter of the Great Granite Cold Mining and Development Company, of Ontario, Limited, the creditors of the above named company and others having claims against the said Company, which formerly carried on business northwest of Shoal Lake in the Lake of the Woods district and north of Deer Lake in Rainy River district and in the Township of McGregor in the Thunder Bay district, with Head Office at Toronto, and a branch business office at Buffalo, are on or before the Eleventh day of March, 1902, to send by post to Francis Bullivant, Esquire, the Liquidator of the said Company, at the City of St. Catharines, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims and the nature and amount of securities, if any, held by them, and the specified values of such securities verified by oath or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefits of the Winding-up Order.

The 19th day of March, 1902, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Chambers of the undersigned at Ogilvie Hall, Toronto, is appointed for considering the Report of the said Liquidator upon the claims of creditors sent to him in pursuance of this notice and let parties then attend.

Dated the 19th day of February, 1902.

NEIL McLEAN,  
Official Referee.  
JAS. B. O'BRIAN,  
Solicitor for Liquidator.

mill, weighing every ounce of ore, feeding it crushed in a battery of five stamps, and put over the plates, and watching with interest until the amalgam was reforted by Mr. Johns, technical chemist and amalgamator of the Mikado mine. The result was, considering the difficulties and disadvantages attending a long disused mill plant, exceedingly good indeed—the two on \$15 and \$10 in gold per ton being saved in the operation, and our representative who was privileged to watch the operations and had handled the golden buttons, held the opinion that the famous Mikado will in the near future have a serious rival as a bullion producer in the Gold Reefs Company, Limited, of Traverse City, Michigan, a new organization for which the Miner predicts immense success.

### ADVERTISING SCHEME.

Business Men of Port Arthur and Port William Take a Novel Plan of Advertising

Port Arthur, Feb. 21: The first contingent of the deputation which will tour the eastern centres in the interest of New Ontario, left yesterday morning in charge of D. F. Burke. The party which numbers about thirty of the business men of Port Arthur and Port William, have a special tourist car, which has been decorated with streamers descriptive of New Ontario. After visiting the large centres of Ontario and Quebec the party will tour Ontario holding public meetings, and addresses

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the first intermediate team to defeat the champions this year. The first god was scored by Rat Portage, the second by the Vics, and the third by Rat Portage. After half time the Vics scored again in 16 minutes, and at the end of the allotted time no more were secured by either side, making the score 2-2. It was decided to play off the tie and in 27 minutes the Victorias scored again, thus winning the match. The visitors were afterwards entertained to luncheon at Parson's restaurant.

### MINING NOTES.

The machinery for the stamp mill to be erected at the property of the 20th Century Mining Company, arrived at Oniow last week and is being transported to the mine.

Some of the ore from the Herman-Larsen mine near Dryden was recently assayed at the government assay office at Belleville, and resulted in a value of \$79 to the ton. Early in the spring a compressor and stamp mill will probably be installed, and operations generally will be vigorously pushed forward. The shaft is already down to 15 feet with ten feet of ore in sight. Wabigoon Star.

The general meeting of the Little Boba Gold Mining Company has been adjourned several times owing to the absence of the president and other unavoidable causes. The meeting will be held within a few days and the company's affairs gone through into.

### A LETTER OF CONDOLENCE.

Rat Portage, Feb. 22 1902.  
To M. Nicholson Esq.

Dear Sir and Brother: At the last meeting of Gold Hill Lodge No. 231 I. O. O. F., the following resolution was passed:

"Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty in his Divine Providence to remove from this world Alfred the eldest son of our worthy Bro. M. Nicholson. Be it resolved that our most heartfelt sympathy and condolence be tendered our Bro. M. Nicholson and his estimable wife in this their sad bereavement, assuring them that though words are of little avail and cannot replace what is missing, that He who knoweth what is best and whose power is infinite will give to them His Divine help and consolation in this their hour of trial. Is the earnest prayer of the members of this lodge.

H. E. HOLLAND, P. G.  
F. H. CLARK, P. G.  
Secretaries.

### MURDER NEAR STUARTBURN.

Dominion City, Man., Feb. 21: Miss Storische arrived from Stuartburn this morning, bringing the news that Uoap Salomon, a Galician, living on section 1324 east, had murdered

the council was held last night. The members were present except Combs, Chadwick and McCarthy.

A number of communications were received and read.

In reference to Mr. Bird's communication in Holstrog, the following resolution was passed: That in the event of Mr. Holstrog closing the roadway through the Nash location the police be and are hereby instructed to keep open and keep open the same as at present laid out.

The report of the finance committee recommending payment of arrears to the amount of \$129.04 was adopted.

The action of the acting mayor and town, in issuing cheque to A. McLennan, town solicitor, for \$100 as security for costs in appeal cases—C. T. & E. Co. vs. town, and town vs. C. T. & E. Co., was confirmed.

The council went into a committee of the whole on the second reading of the by-law to appoint town officials. After some deliberation the committee rose asking leave to sit again.

### THE 20TH CENTURY SUNDAY.

At a legislative hearing on a question of legal restriction of Sunday trade, a gentleman favored wider liberty because we are at the opening of a new century, implying that Sunday laws are a relic of the dark ages. Not of the darkest ages, he should reflect. They do not prevail in the "darkest Africa," or in any dark and savage land, nor ever did. Sunday observance is not a mark of rude uncivilized life. Only enlightened Christian nations observe Sunday rest, and protect the civil rest day by law, as a wise provision for the good of society. Not only savages, but had most everywhere do without Sunday. Either they are not able to see that it is a necessity of wise living, or they do not wish to live wisely. Just in proportion as men advance in enlightenment and in a desire to live according to the best light, they keep Sunday. There are exceptions, but on the large scale, and in the long run, exactly as men gain in spiritual insight, attain breadth of view, and a comprehension of the forces and tendencies which govern human life, if they also are wise enough to conform their conduct to their increased knowledge, they will prize Sunday, and keep it with all their heart.

THE DRENGER.

There is talk of erecting the largest atingle mill in the world at Vancouver B. C.

Mgr. Renier, the noted French preacher, addressed 17000 persons in Notre Dame Cathedral, Montreal.

The C. P. R. will spend \$1,500,000 on the new car shops at Montreal. The land will be secured next week.

The C. P. R. will build 200 miles of railway in Manitoba this year.

A Portage la Prairie farmer has already seeded 25 acres with wheat.

V. J. Somerville, formerly with the 6th Regiment, at London, aged 31 and unmarried, committed suicide there yesterday.

An officer of Capt. O'Brien, O. P., at Hamilton, is reported shot in his accounts. It will be made good. His resignation has been tendered.

The Governor General has received the thanks of the secretary of the Peary Arctic Expedition for the medical port facilities furnished to their vessel the Erik.

Bishop Gerardi, of St. Asaph, North is dying.

Manuel sails for England for Canada on Thursday.

The wrecked steamer Grosvenor, Halifax, has been grounded.

Winnipeg correspondents have discovered an increase of 200,000 in horses.

A government report shows there are 163 steam railways in operation in Canada, and forty electric railways.

Trooper Wm. Downing is reported at Ottawa to be dangerously ill of typhoid fever at Vet. River, South Africa.

Workmen of Niagara Falls N.Y. complain of the policy of the International Traction Company in hiring Canadians.

A deputation urged the Finance Commissioner to alter the number of licences in Hamilton to 10.

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## HUFFALO, N.Y.

In bidding farewell to its eighth contingent for South Africa, Premier Seddon, of New Zealand, said that with the 9th Brigade, which has since set out, New Zealand would have sent 5,000 men to the front, a number which, on a population basis, was equal to 35,000 for Canada, 23,000 from Australia, and 25,000 from the United Kingdom.

There is quit a boom in the arsenic industry in Hastings County. British and foreign capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of mines at Deloro and other points. Those interested are making representations to the Government in favor of a substantial bounty for seven years to be reduced on a sliding scale.

Commenting on the fact that the death of Judge Lister may necessitate a rehearing of many cases in the High Court, the Hamilton "Times" says this result is a strong argument against the long delays so common in the practice of the courts. What is true in Ontario is true in the rest of the Dominion. Justice is badly delayed, but when it arrives it costs as much as though it had come at express speed. Our administration of justice often is, in its cost and delays, equivalent to injustice, and injustice and precedents too frequently stand in the path of business methods.

## HOW BRITAIN GOT LIBERTY.

At a luncheon of the Canadian Club in Toronto, Friday, Hon. H. L. Borden, leader of the opposition gave a talk on "Governments and things government do, but, he avoided party politics except in an occasional humorous reference. The reception was enthusiastic. The address was not an oration, but a plain, straight talk, tracing the history and origin of British Government, and our working in information about Canada's Parliament. Mr. Borden commenced in the days of the Anglo-Saxons, when laws were made with an axe, when the King was the whole thing, and imposed taxes on "dressed nobles and exalted and

## A MODERN UTOPIA.

An Interesting Report on the Pitcairn Islanders.

According to Commander Knowledge, of H. M. S. Scarus, who visited Pitcairn Island last February, an almost Utopian state of existence prevails among its inhabitants. The descendants of the mutineers of the Bounty.

In his report to the Colonial Office, published as a Parliamentary paper, Commander Knowledge states that of the total population, 120 a larger proportion are young children.

There is a Parliament of seven elected members, including Mr. Jas. H. McCoy, the president and magistrate.

No one smokes or drinks intoxicants, and each adult man works from five a. m. to two p. m. for the public good, directed by the local Parliament. Two p. m. is the dinner hour, and the remainder of the day the people employ themselves about their own businesses. The women of the family do all the housework.

All rumors that the islanders are deteriorating in morals or physique are contradicted, and it is stated that disease is almost unknown, notwithstanding the fact that the taking of medicine is discontinued by the leading members.

The only troubles alluded to in the report are the difficulty to select a successor to Mr. McCoy, the surplus of women, and a tendency among the islanders to use a species of foreign English, some of them already appearing slow of comprehension when addressed in English.

## Granny and the Princess.

In the village of Bersingham writes a Sandringham visitor in M. A. P. there is an old, old lady, living in the cottage at the corner, who is very proud of many things in her little home. They were given her from time to time by Queen Alexandra. On sunny mornings "Granny" comes out in her white muslin and patters about among her flowers. "Then is the best time to talk to her."

"The Queen," she says, with a puzzled look. "I don't know who 'good means, sir.' Suddenly she remembers a child's rhyme and she looks up and says, with a twinkled eye: "Is it the Princess you mean?" she says.

You tell her yes, and she asks suddenly: "Ah, my dear, you don't know the Princess, do you?" and then, speaking softly and smiling to herself, she tells you the following charming tale.

"One morning, two winters ago, let me see, it was a Tuesday, 'cause I was doing my bit of ironing—there came a knock at the door. I didn't stir, I thought it might be the milk man, and he just knocked and walks in. So I went to my ironing. Presently there came another knock. So I call 'Walk in,' but, because the iron was nice and hot, I didn't stop! And there, my dear, it was the Princess and her daughter, and I kept them outside knocking, and it was a bitter morning. I was so furious that I didn't know what to do. I stood with the heater in my hand, and all I could do was to make my clasp. But Her Highness didn't seem to mind a bit." She says: "Good morning, Granny. We

## WITNESSES OF GENIUS.

Several Failures That Tell the Lot of Famous Men.

James Oglethorpe, the founder of Georgia, was disappointed in his plans for the colony, and was killed by a native Indian. The failure of his plan was due to his own hand.

The great Napoleon was subject to epileptic fits, one of which it has been said cost him the battle of Waterloo.

John Brown, who was considered a martyr, was shot in the head by a soldier of the Union army, which was a result of his own actions.

Robert Bruce, the Scottish hero, was killed by a spear in the back, which was a result of his own actions.

Throughout his life Sir Walter Scott could only walk with a limp. As a boy he was afflicted with paralysis, which left him permanently lame.

John Jay, the first Chief Justice of the United States, was afflicted with a chronic disease, which was a result of his own actions.

Thomas Carlyle was a chronic dyspeptic. A state of irritation appears to have brought his normal condition, and although he was a great writer, his health was a constant source of trouble.

John Bonaparte, Charles Kingsley was afflicted with stuttering, but he did not cure himself of the failing as did the famous Athenian orator by practicing speaking with pebbles in his mouth.

Perhaps the most famous of European statesmen was also the most nervous. This was Bismarck of Prussia, whose nerves were subject to violent trembling. But he overcame this with courage and had no opportunity of trembling.

## Too Particular.

A business man who had eaten a meal at a restaurant where he frequently took his meals, happened to walk up to the cashier and said: "I find I have a cent of change about today. If you will kindly let me owe this until I come in again, which will be in a day or two, I will give you the cent." The cashier was not a good judge of human nature, and he was under the influence of a momentary irritation, for he replied: "We don't take any account of this sort. If you haven't anything to pay, you can leave something with us as a tip." He didn't say I haven't any money; the cashier replied, "I said I had no account. Please take the amount of my bill out of this." And he took fifty dollars bill out of his pocket and handed it to the waiter.

"The pitcher that goes often to the well is broken at last." There's a world of wisdom in that familiar proverb, and a sound application of it to disease, especially to such familiar forms of disease as coughs and colds. Singularly enough the very things that ought to cause alarm is given as excuse for a feeling of safety. "It's nothing; only a cough, I've had it before." The fact that a cough or cold is periodically should be warning enough to take it in time, for the most serious and disastrous of all maladies begins with a cough.



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In the High Court of Justice Pursuant to a judgment made in a certain action wherein William Nickless was plaintiff and George Dineen et al defendants, I have proceeded to wind up the affairs of the partnership carried on between the late John W. Colclough, David L. Matheson and Silas L. Griffiths under the firm name of Silas L. Griffiths. The creditors therefore of the said firm of Silas L. Griffiths have to send by post, prepaid, to Joseph Edward Ford, Esq., Solicitor for Thos. Matheson, administrators of the Colclough estate, their claims, a statement of the securities, if any, held by them, or in default thereof, they will be permitted to exclude the benefit of the said judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before me at my Chambers at the Court House, in the Town of Rat Portage, on Monday, the 10th day of March 1902, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon. Being the time appointed for the adjudication upon the claims. Dated this 18th day of January, 1902. T. W. CHAPMAN, Local Magistrate.

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NORTHERN PACIFIC

Local Magistrate



At a luncheon of the Canadian Club in Toronto, Friday, Hon. H. L. Borden, leader of the opposition gave a talk on Governments and things government, but he avoided party politics except in an occasional humorous reference. The reception was enthusiastic. The address was not an oration, but a plain, straight talk, tracing the history and origin of British Government, and furnishing in information about Canada's Parliament.

Mrs. Borden commenced in the days of the Anglo-Saxons, when laws were made with an axe, when the King was the whole thing, and imposed taxes and deposed nobles and exiled and tortured them at will. The Magna Charta was pointed out as the first real step towards the freedom of the people. It was a funny note that the nobles told Richard what they wanted, and when he signed the British constitution was commenced in mercy and justice by the hands of prelates and laymen over the table.

Mr. Borden traced the first of Parliament, as continuing in the reign of Edward I., with the meeting of the Commons. The difference of the Commons of to-day is easily seen. These ancient Commons did not make laws, but petitioned to that still most awful personage, the King. Then he would think a while, and hand them out a law. The sun of civilization rising, the day came when the right of imposing taxation was left largely to the will of the people. The King's power gradually became less absolute, and when His Royal Majesty asked for supply—which means money, good hard thing—it became the right of the Commons to demand that all grievances should be discussed before this supply was granted. This right exists to-day in Canada's Parliament.

Mr. Borden was happy in his reference to the growth of closer ties between Canada and the Motherland. He did not attribute this growth to cut and dried schemes or well set plans. It was a friendliness that had arisen largely on account of Canada's throwing off her swaddling clothes and assisting in shaping the Empire of which she formed a part. It was a natural course of events.

Mr. Boulton is of the opinion that in future any changes in conditions must come from the colonies. What these changes will be he did not venture an opinion. He thought the British had raised a wrong Canada and Australia is more democratic, and now look at them in the light of great sister nations.

Before he closed, Mr. Borden emphasized the need of lifting the standard of public life. He gave the press a gentle jibe for treating public men, and warned the men of the fourth estate that public personages in this and other countries were only what (in his opinion) made them.

Julia Arthur, the actress, who is a native of Hamilton, has subscribed \$50 towards the Queen Victoria memorial statue there.

"One morning, two winters ago—let me see, it was a Tuesday, 'cause I was doing my bit of ironing"—there came a knock at the door. "I didn't take notice. I thought it was just my spin-in-law, and he just knocks and walks in. So I went on with my ironing." Presently there came another knock. So I calls 'Walk in!' but, 'cause the iron was nice and hot, I didn't stop! And there, my dear, it was the Princess and her daughter, and I'd kept them outside knocking, and I'd had a bit of morning's work spoiled. I didn't say a word, 'cause I was so busy with the ironing. I did say 'Walk in!' but I didn't do it, I stood with the letter in my hand, and all I could do was to make my curtsy. But Her Highness didn't seem to mind a bit." So I went back in to see how they were this cold morning. I got over my hurry by this time and dusted the chairs for them to sit on, and put my iron on the fire, but the Princess wouldn't have me stir. She turned to her daughter and said, "You'll sit on Gracyn's lap, while she sits down, and talks to her!" So the young Princess took the iron and showed while I sat down and talked with her mother.

Frank rose and went to a drawer. She took out a handkerchief with a lace-trimmed border and brought it back. "I thought that you might want to see it," I put it away and never told a soul. "Well," the Princess, like mother had me talked. She told me as how she liked the country better than London, where she couldn't talk about or go out very much. Then she asked me about King and Sarah and the whole lot. I told her I was a student with her brother, and she said she remembered quite well when her own babies were back with their mother, and the trouble she had with them. She stayed and talked for nearly an hour. I was afraid to ask her to have anything, but she remembered me and said she would write me. Her daughter might have a class, because it was waiting for winter time."

A broad smile is never so all-embracing as when an unhappy lady is introduced.

Laughter is the axis of modern life.

Laughter is the axis of modern life — hysterical, phlegmatic, hysterical, phlegmatic.

Women who object to swearing make altogether oddball affirmations at times.

Women are treated interchangeably as super, man, was told he was. Women are obliged to do both.

Politeness is intended to show good breeding, but it is often used to substitute satire.

Never play a vain old man, the respect and his age. Chaff him, and he'll feel young.

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**Chapel Instead of Palace**

Lord St. Albine, first Lord of the British Admiralty, recently said that the Admiralty is "the only place in the country where a man can be a peer without being a peer."

the British naval games. When the prizes were important as naval games, the individuals, with a view to gaining the glories, have been desirous of the establishment there of a new gun battery. As Lord St. Albans made the rounds, plentiful hints were dropped. Then the game came for them to go. "The place," he said, "is perfect save for one thing that I must certainly remedy. The gunnery officers nudged each other. No wonder you tell me the place lacks completeness," he continued, "I see you have no com-

a restaurant whose he frequently took  
 his midday luncheon, walked up to the  
 third and said:  
 "Did I haven't a bit of change about  
 me today. If you will kindly let me draw  
 this small I can be again, which will  
 enable me to go in a day or two. I will come  
 then?"  
 The cashier, was not a good judge of  
 that, and he was under the influence  
 of some other feeling, for he replied:  
 "We don't want any more of that sort of  
 money. If you want anything to pay  
 for, you can have something with us  
 today."  
 "Did I say I had any more?" the  
 man repeated. "I said I had no  
 more." "Then take the amount of your  
 receipt of the day."  
 And he took a dollar bill out of his  
 pocket and delivered it to the cashier.  
 "Consider it paid."  
 "I will be the first to pay it, if you per-  
 mit," he said, "then we leave some-  
 thing to see what you will not be able  
 to see the other side."  
 Then, passing the one hundred, which  
 he had just received, to the cashier,  
 he said that he had no more, he had  
 only one dollar, he had no more, he had  
 only one dollar.  
 Painful.  
 As the day comes from that lack con-  
 sideration, the truth then.


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Sixty per cent of canned vegetables have been found to contain food preservatives, and of fifteen popular brands of extract of lemon not one contained any oil of lemon, and most of them were colored with annine dyes. **Alas for the American stomach!** What shall be done to preserve that?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

"I never heard of but one perfect tooth," said Johnny positively as he sat in the corresponding penance.  
"And who was that?" asked mamma.  
"Eugene when he was little," was the answer, and slyness registered for the space of five minutes.

**Before and After.**

"Before I was married I used to go on my luncheon of smiling so often in order to show her pretty teeth."  
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last."  
"And that boy Ned would say, 'I'll make it all, please—and some eggs.'"—  
Exchange.

**Evolution of the Apple.**

Apples are new in the economy of the world's use and taste. At the beginning of the last century few varieties were known, and we can go back in history to a time when all apples were little, sour and pectuary—crab apples and nothing else. The crab apple was and is in its wildness nothing but a pesthouse. Away back in time the wild rose, with its pretty blossoms that turn to little red lozels, apple flavored, and the thorny crab had the same grandmother.

**Awful Affliction.**

Junior Partner—I received a note from our bookkeeper this morning saying that he wouldn't be able to come to work for several days.

Senior Partner—What's the matter with the man?

Junior Partner—His wife has been cutting his hair.

**The Case.**

"Gentlemen of the jury," cried the council for the defendant, "If there ever was a case which in any case must be carefully compared with other cases, this case is that case."

"Which case," asked the puzzled judge.

**Domestic Economy.**

Madam—Poor Fida, he was such a nice dog! I am so sorry he died.

Bridget—So am I, ma'am. Many's the plate he saved me washing—Baltimore World.

A little comment.

A Toledo young man who is manager of a free-boarding business, who is married and the son of President Cleveland, has been in a peculiar position a few days. He was on a street car. He was riding towards home, pre-occupied, when he

became aware of it, or something tickling his ear, and with his hand brushed it away. A moment or two later he again brushed it off. He shifted to draw his hand slowly across his ear, and found, there, a long hair, unmistakably a woman's hair. Wonderingly, he caught it between his fingers and pulled, and found, to his horror, that it grew on the head of a baby, who sat on the next pup. The ear was one of these open ones in which people

A touching tale comes from London of interest to all boarding-school girls the world over, of how Mr. Paderewski at a recent evening

partly in London where he played, quite  
nervous. They made me feel quite  
nervous! I like women to be dig-  
nified. This after certain frenzied  
feminist members of the audience  
stood on chairs to yell and even  
grabbed his hands and kissed it as  
he passed. And poor hysterical ad-  
mirers of him! How few dignified  
women has he ever met in the course  
of his machine career, and how  
strange it is that many an ordinary  
or intelligent woman should find  
himself enthusiastic to the verge of  
stiffness in his presence!

creditors thereof of the said firm of "Silas I. Grimes" are to send by post, prepaid, to Joseph Edward Gird, the Solicitor for Their said administrators of the College estate, their Christian and surname, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of the securities, if any, held by them, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before me at my Chambers at the Court House, in the Town of Pitt Portage, on Monday, the 30th day of March, 1862, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for the adjournment upon the doings. Dated this 18th day of January, 1862.

J. E. W. CHAPMAN, Esq.,  
Local Magistrate.

Province of Ontario at the present session for an Act to change the name of the Town of "Rat Portage" to that of "Kenora," making the corporate name of the said Town "The Corporation of the Town of Kenora."

ALLAN McLENNAN,  
Solicitor for the Town of Rat Portage,  
Rat Portage, Feb. 5th, 1922.

## Application to Parliament

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1. To confirm and legalize a By-Law of the Municipality of the Town of Rat Portage passed on the 20th day of August, A.D. 1901, entitled "By-Law No. 336 a By-Law to provide for the issue of Debentures of the Town of Rat Portage" to the amount of twenty thousand dollars and to raise the sum required therefor for the purpose of making connections in and improving the system of Waterworks therein, and a By-Law to raise the sum of twenty thousand dollars by the issue of Debentures for making connections in


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first election after they were enfranchised over 91 per cent. voted.

After the suffrage bill was passed the franchise league disbanded, but reorganized immediately under the title of the Women's Political Education League. Systematic study of political questions was taken up, and the result has been one of the most intelligent voting classes in the world. As to the result, as far as success may be inferred from the fact that a few years ago our solitary member rose in Parliament to move the abrogation of the law, he could not get a seconder, and sat down amid roars of laughter, it was the death of opposition to women suffrage.

The women of Australia are somewhat more conventional than those of New Zealand, and, to the casual observer, the intellectual average does not appear to be so high. The first sign, however, who did not reside in the towns, roughed it in the bush with fathers, husbands and brothers, sharing their privations and ever-present danger of attack from the savage black fellows, and the still more savage bushrangers, or outlaws, who were generally escaped convicts from the penal colonies.

As the country became more thickly settled, and comforts and even luxuries were possible, life upon the sheep and cattle ranges improved. The most open-handed hospitality prevailed, and still prevails; large house parties were entertained, especially at Christmas and Easter, which were observed as generally as at home—a word that the English colonists always write with a capital letter. Native servants were not always to be relied upon, and others were difficult to find, and the Australian girls became, through necessity, expert in domestic arts.

Frank and unspoiled, they were admirable companions, generous and warm-hearted, through the exigencies of a situation where people were thrown together with greater intimacy than is possible in older countries. As much of the continual visiting was done on horseback, Australian women living upon the ranges, young and old, were bold and fearless riders.

Australia is somewhat behind New Zealand in the adoption of progressive ideas; but equal suffrage is already guaranteed, being supported by the ablest men and women in the colony.

Women are admitted to the universities of Sydney and Melbourne, being students in their own colleges, a recognized part of each foundation, and they receive the same degrees as are conferred upon the students of the other sex.

**When the King Paid Toll.**  
His Majesty has never been a defendant in a police court—not even as the owner of a smoky chimney—but the King has paid a fine for trespassing. When an undergraduate at Oxford the Prince of Wales was a great huntsman, and few men could beat him across country. On one occasion His Royal Highness and some other riders galloped into a farmyard by way of a short cut. The farmer, a sturdy yeoman, closed the gates and told the huntmen they must pay \$1 apiece for trespass. One of the gentlemen smiled indignantly at the rustic and said: "But, my good man, this is the Prince of Wales." The good man was in no way abashed, and he asked: "Princes or princes? If not, what's your name?" No prince, he said, was my name. And he got it—London Tit-Bits.

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**He Was Relieved.**  
The other day a person dropped down in an apoplexy in immediately in front of a police station and was carried inside. A moment after a woman forced her way in through the crowd gathered around the door, exclaiming: "My husband! My poor husband! Clear the way and let in the air!"

She then hurried herself by taking off the man's cravat and performing other little offices until a surgeon arrived, when the patient gradually recovered his senses. On this the sergeant in charge observed that it was a happy relief for his distressed wife as well as for himself.

"My wife," exclaimed the man, "Why, I am a bachelor!"  
On seeking for the woman it was found that she had disappeared and with her the watch and purse of the patient, which she had adroitly abstracted under the very eyes of the police.—London Tit-Bits.

**The Effects of Ammonia.**  
The effects of ammonia upon the complexion are directly the opposite to that of arsenic. The first symptom of ammonia poisoning which appears among those who work in ammonia factories is a discoloration of the skin of the nose and the forehead. This gradually extends over the face until the complexion has a stained, blotched and unsightly appearance. With people who take ammonia into their systems in smaller doses, as with their water or food, these striking symptoms do not appear so soon. The only effect of the poison that is visible for a time is a general unwholesomeness and sallowness of the complexion.

**Saracenic.**  
"Yes, I'm pretty well fixed," remarked the western millionaire. "I began life a barefoot boy and—"  
"Of course, but is that unusual on your way?"  
"Well, yes, I'm rather an exception."  
"Well, well! I know it's quite common in the west for one to die with his boots on, but I didn't know you folks were born that way too."

**Mean Well, but Made Him Nervous.**  
Mr. Fijit-Flense don't send that messenger boy who stutters up to my house again.  
"Telegraph Manager—What did he do?"  
Mr. Fijit-Flense: "But I gave him a 25 cent tip, and he hung around all afternoon trying to say 'Thanks.'"

**His Training.**  
"How did Spudkins get his appointment as brigadier general? I never knew that he was connected with the army."  
"Oh, yes; by marriage. His brother-in-law is a United States senator."

**A Surprise to Him.**  
"Had you heard that Oily Mike had been incarcerated?"  
"No, I didn't even know he was dead."

**Good Children.**  
"People are always content with their children," said Mr. Crosby.  
"Yes," answered Mr. Duxey. "Can be difficult they say, be fortunate they find, and if he is fortunate they be in sure to make his war in the world."—Washington Star.

**The Kings of Denmark.**  
The dust of the Danish kings is kept in a great cathedral at Roskilde, an hour's train 20 miles from Copenhagen. Every year the entire royal family always pay a visit to the Roskilde in obedience to an ancient custom. One of the pillars are marks showing the height of Peter the Great, Nicholas the First, Alexander III of Russia, King of England, and many other kings. The cathedral was built in the twelfth century. It has four mighty towers, which can be seen at a long distance. The oldest grave is that of King Harold I, who died in 1040. (Chicago Record-Herald.)

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THIS BEING THE ANNIVERSARY OF OUR BUSINESS IN RAT PORTAGE we have determined to make it a lively one in Dry Goods Merchandising. For the past two years we have been catering to the Dry Goods wants of the people of Rat Portage, Norman and Keewatin. It has been our aim right along to keep an Up-to-Date Stock and sell at the Closest Margin of Profit. Our business has increased to such an extent that we are compelled to extend our premises, when we hope by enlarged departments to be in a better position than ever to cater to the wants of the buying public.

### A Great Feast of Bargains for February.

**Dress Goods Sale.** 18 ends Scotch Tweed Skirting 34 yards to the piece. Regular price \$4.50. Sale price \$2.75. Pieces Ladies' Cloth in Fawn, Castor, Gray, Navy and Black. Good value at \$1.25. Sale price 80c. Pieces Fancy Scotch Plaids, 42 inches wide. Regular 35c Goods. Sale price 22c. Pieces English Melton Cloth in Black, Gray and Navy. Good value at 75c. Sale price 42c.

Remnants of Dress Goods to be cleared out Regardless of Cost.

### Ladies' Underwear and Hosiery Sale.

Ladies' Wool Vests, short sleeves, last black. Regular price \$1.75 each. Sale \$1.10. 8 Dozen Ladies' Wool Plush Vests and Drawers. Regular price \$2.50 the Suit. Sale \$1.50. Odd Pieces in Ladies' and Children's Vests and Drawers. At Less than Half Price. 20 Dozen Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Hose. Good value at 40c. Sale 25c.

All Wool Hosiery Selling at Clearing Prices for February.

### Ladies' Blouse Sale..

We offer during February all our stock of Sateen, Flannel and Cashmere Blouses at Half Price. Full assortment of sizes.

25 Flannelette Wrappers. Sizes 34 to 42.

All at Half Price.

### Special Purchase of Novelty Blouse Silks.

In all the Latest Shades. Wide and Narrow Stripes. These elegant goods are well worth 75c per yard. During February we will sell them at 35c per yard.

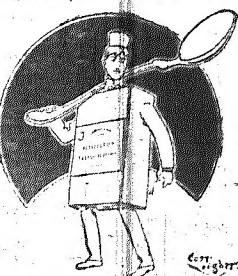
### Boys' Clothing Sale.

This will be one of the Principal Features of the Anniversary Sale. We have always made a Specialty of Suits for the Boys. Mothers will find the Right Sort Here. Something that will wear and look well. Price on every suit CUT IN TWO.

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### Local Interest

Mrs. E. H. Kirby, of Morden, Man., is visiting friends in town.

Mr. J. A. McCrossan returned from Toronto Saturday.

Mr. C. Brent returned from Walfort yesterday.

A representative of the Deering Harvesting Machine Co., of Chicago, was in Port William last week with a view to establishing a Canadian branch at that place. He is much pleased with the situation and it is believed Port William will secure the big plant.

Do not neglect to attend the annual meeting of the hospital on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Mac Sullivan, manager of the Anglo-Canadian Gold Estates, is in town.

Mr. Mankougnet, of Winnipeg, formerly of the Imperial Bank here, was a visitor in town over Sunday.

Mr. A. Milne, accountant at the

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Macroix, the Mont-bello wife murdered, to be hanged at Hull, March 21st, still trying to kill himself.

A second timber limits sale for 1900 was made at Ottawa.

The population of the north end of Winnipeg is placed at 90,000.

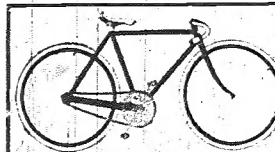
Mr. Loy, M. P. for Beauharnois, has been unseated by the supreme court.

Nearly 5,000 settlers will leave Liverpool and Glasgow for Canada in March.

Menzie's factory and the Mer-Montagne work - Toronto were destroyed.

### HOSPITAL ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Royal Jubilee Hospital board will be held in the council chamber on Thursday evening next. The report of the directors giving an account of the year's work will be presented and also that of the Ladies' Aid. Several directors will be selected at this meeting and it is earnestly requested that there be a large attendance of those interested in the work of the hospital. Remember the date—Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.



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